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SENATE BILL

No. 1453

Introduced by Senator Speier

February 23, 2006

An act to add and repeal Section 2933.4 of the Penal Code, relating to prisoners.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB 1453, as amended, Speier. Participation in inprison drug treatment program: mandatory aftercare.

Existing law authorizes the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation to reduce the prison term of specified inmates for good behavior and participation, as specified.

This bill would provide that certain inmates under the custody of the department, after successful completion of an inprison drug treatment program, upon parole, shall, whenever possible, be entered into a residential aftercare drug treatment program. If the parolee successfully completes 150 days of residential aftercare, he or she shall be discharged from parole, as specified. The bill would also require the department to report annually to the Joint Legislative Budget Committee and the State Auditor on the effectiveness of these provisions.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: yes.
State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Section 2933.4 is added to the Penal Code, to
2 read:
3 2933.4. (a) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, any
4 inmate under the custody of the Department of Corrections and
5 Rehabilitation who is not *currently serving-an and has not served*
6 *a prior* indeterminate sentence or a sentence for a violent felony,
7 a serious felony, or a crime that requires him or her to register as
8 a sex offender pursuant to Section 290, who has successfully
9 completed an inprison drug treatment program, upon release
10 from state prison, shall, whenever possible, be entered into a
11 150-day residential aftercare drug treatment program sanctioned
12 by the department.
13 (b) As a condition of parole, if the inmate successfully
14 completes 150 days of residential aftercare treatment, as
15 determined by the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation
16 and the aftercare provider, the parolee shall be discharged from
17 parole supervision at that time.
18 (c) Commencing with 2008, the department shall report
19 annually to the Joint Legislative Budget Committee and the State
20 Auditor on the effectiveness of these provisions, including
21 recidivism rates.

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